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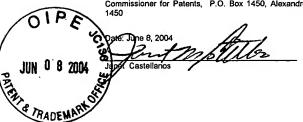
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Applicants: HEDMAN et al.

Serial No.: 10/014,727

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated January 12, 2004, or until June 12, 2004.

Enclosed is a check for \$210.00 to pay the two-month extension fee in accordance with Rule 1.17(a)(2).

The Commissioner of Patents is authorized to charge any amount due, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0639. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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